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City of Barrie

Final

Communities in Bloom Committee

Tuesday, July 8, 2025 | **4:00 PM** | **Sir Robert Barrie Room**

COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM COMMITTEE REPORT
For consideration by Infrastructure and Community Investment Committee on November 19, 2025.

The meeting was called to order by Chair, Councillor, AM. Kungl at 4:03 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 6 - Chair – Councillor AM. Kungl
Y. Balaban
K. Bagnell
D. Brooke-Bagnell
D. Ramsay
N. Shammas

STAFF:
M. Boyd, Horiticulture Foreperson
T. Maynard, Legislative Coordinator.

The Communities in Bloom Committee met and reports as follows:

2025 COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM PROGRAM

Chair, Councillor, AM. Kungl provided an update concerning the 2025 Communities in Bloom Program, including opportunities to showcase the community. Councillor Kungl and Mona Boyd, Horticulture Foreperson, outlined the itinerary for the judges' visit from July 22 to July 24, 2025.

Councillor Kungl provided an overview of the criteria for the 2025 Communities in Bloom Healthier Livable Cities category. The Committee members provided their feedback to Councillor Kungl.

Councillor Kungl provided an outline of her presentation for the CIB judges during their visit. The Committee members provided their feedback to Councillor Kungl.

Tammie Maynard, Legislative Coordinator will circulate a copy of the CIB judge's itinerary to the Committee members.

COMMITTEE BUDGET UPDATE

Chair, Councillor, AM. Kungl provided an update concerning the Committee's budget. She indicated that the Committee's budget will be allocated to support the 2025 Communities in Bloom Program, which includes registration fees, hosting the judges, and sending a delegation to represent the City of Barrie at the Communities in Bloom Symposium in Stratford, Ontario, in October 2025. Further discussion will take place at the next meeting concerning the Committee's budget and expenditures related to the 2025 Communities in Bloom Program.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

CHAIRMAN